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This is a request for filing a \_\_\_\_\_ CONTINUATION \_X DIVISIONAL \_\_\_\_ CONTINUATION IN PART application under \_X 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 08/608, 712 \_\_\_\_ filed on February 29, 1996 of

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## for NOVEL ANTIMICROBIAL ACTIVITY OF GEMFIBROZIL Title of Invention

- 1. X Enclosed is a copy of the prior application.
- 2. X A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27 is enclosed.
  - x was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired.
- 3. X The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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Total Claims	43-20	23	х	\$ 9	\$ 18	\$ 207	\$ 0
Independent Claims	5-3	2	x	\$ 43	\$ 86	\$ 86	\$ 0
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented Yes X No				\$145	\$290	\$ 0	\$ 0
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- \_**X**\_ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of 4. the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. x §1.17. Three copies of this sheet are enclosed. 5. X A check in the amount of \$ 678.00 is enclosed. 6. x 7. Cancel claims 8. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence: --This is a continuation of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_\_, which is a continuation of Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_\_,  $_{---}$ , which is a now United States Patent No. 24 Sheet(s) of informal X formal drawing(s) is/are 9. X enclosed. 10. Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of he filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file. Priority of application No. \_\_\_\_\_ 11. on \_\_\_\_\_\_in\_\_\_\_\_is claimed under 37 C.F.R. §119. The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in prior application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed The prior application is assigned of record to 12. X The Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York. 13. A preliminary amendment is enclosed. X The power of attorney in the prior application is to: 14. John P. White (Reg. No. 28,678); Thomas F. Moran, (Reg. No. 16,579); Norman H. Zivin (Reg. No. 25,385); Ivan S. Kavrukov (Reg. No. 25,161);
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- (b) X Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
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- 15. X Also enclosed: Express mail Certificate of Mailing No. ET735978480US dated March 29, 2004 and Information Disclosure Statement.
- 16. <u>X</u> I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application serial No. <u>08/608,712</u> as originally filed on February 29, 1996.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statement and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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